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#### Has Plenty of Grit.

There came into the office of the Y. M. C. A. late yesterday afternoon a young man who, according to his story, certainly possesses the American quality of grit to the full. He is Harold C. Swan, of Newark, N. J., and he is working his way from Jacksonville, Fla., up to the northern border of the country to Denver and finally to Portland, Ore. He has often taken long trips of this kind on wagons, gaining their passage by the work they could do on the way. But to work one's way from the extreme southern part of the country to the northern border and then west across the country to Portland, Ore., one's sole means of support and resource being the money gained by the use of a small boot-blacking outfit, is a task which might well phase even American grit and determination. It is this task that Harold Swan has set before himself.

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#### CORINTH.

Mrs. H. Sanborn is on the sick list. School closed at the Center last Friday.

Haze Wilson is working at Piermont, N. H.

Carrie Wilson is spending a few days at N. Taplin's.

Lewis Greenwood went to Barre and got snowed in up there.

The Riverside Creamery Co. has hired Fred Ellis for another year.

There will be another lyceum in the academy hall at Cookville, Feb. 24.

A. Jacobs has come home from Hanover. He was not operated on for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Maxim are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Eastman.

George Hoyt, from Iowa, who has been visiting relatives in town, is now at his sister's at Waits River. He will go from there to Barre.

#### WILLIAMSTOWN.

Miss Helen Kimball has been spending a few days with Miss Hattie Briggs.

There was a good attendance at the play last evening and people were well pleased with the entertainment.

A. A. Reed has again gone to New Haven, Conn., on business. Miss Evelyn is stopping with friends in Randolph.

A few from here attended the dance at Graniteville last evening. There were about 115 couples and all had a good time.

Monday evening is the regular meeting of the New England Order of Protection and it is hoped the members will all be present then.

#### JEWELRY JOTTINGS.

Bonbon baskets in colonial design of pierced silver come in larger sizes for fruit.

Green and rose gold are combined in a signet ring set with a diamond on either side.

Flower pins with fancy heads of gold or gold and precious stones are a convenient device for fastening flowers to the dress.

More dignified in effect than the delicate chains de la reine, or necklaces, are the strikingly beautiful collars in which bars of large stones connect strands, network or elaborate designs of small stones closely set.—Jewelers' Circular-Weekly.

#### French Church Custom.

Every Catholic church in France has—usually just within its doorway—a candle seller, who sells candles for worshippers to place upon the altars.

### 3 Persons in every 1000 died last year in New York City of Pneumonia.

Every day a cough or deep-seated cold hangs on is a growing menace to life. At the first tickling in the throat, hoarseness or small cough, the irritation should be checked with a reliable remedy.

### RODERIC'S Wild Cherry Cough Balsam

Do not wait for loss of voice, spitting of blood, pneumonia or consumption. The prescription that was for years ordered for well-to-do patients by one of the late leading physicians of Portland, Me., is carefully followed in the preparation of Roderic's Wild Cherry Cough Balsam.

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#### SIRENS AND SONS.

M. Jean de Roszke is said to be the only professional singer who has ever sat at the czar of Russia's dinner table.

Baron Gautsch, the new premier of Austria, is practically self made. He commenced his career as an usher in a school.

Lord Alverstone, lord chief justice of England, will be the speaker at next summer's meeting of the American Bar association.

President Roosevelt is a hearty eater. He consumes three big meals a day and sometimes takes a supper before he goes to bed.

Speaker George L. Rouse of the lower house of the Nebraska legislature is the first farmer to hold that position since the early days of that state.

Comte Guido, visconti di Modrone, a young millionaire well known in society and sporting circles in Milan, has decided to devote himself entirely to music and with this end has accepted the directorship of important operatic performances to be given in Palermo.

Henry H. Rogers, who worked for \$1.16 a day, is the most powerful single individual in the world of finance and commerce. He is a little fellow, has a cowlick on each side of the part in the middle of his hair and wears an iron gray mustache with cow horn curls.

The O'Connor Don, the lineal representative of the family of King Roderic O'Connor, the last monarch of Ireland, who submitted to Henry II, has agreed with his tenantry to dispose of his estate at Clonmilla and Ballinagare, County Roscommon, which has been in the hands of the O'Connors for centuries.

Probably the world's greatest oculist is Dr. Fagenstecher of Wiesbaden, Germany, who is consulted by almost every European royalty and by aristocrats and plutocrats from all over the world. He lives a life of absolute devotion to his work, seeing patients rigidly in turn, rich or poor. At his own "klinik" he performs all operations.

#### SPORTING NOTES.

Umpire Tom Connelly signed an American league contract recently. Bill Coughlin will probably be appointed captain of the Detroit team.

Who is the owner of Dr. Strong, 2-071? Some folks say it is still Mr. Smathers.

Emil Friak, the "Terrible Swede," refuses to sign with the St. Louis Americans.

Robinson, 2-121/2, is on the market. She would have touched 2-08 had she stayed sound.

Report has it that Manager Jimmy Collins will not remain a bachelor for more than another year.

Bert King is the name of a nineteen-year-old boy that McAleer has picked up in Paris, Ill., for St. Louis.

Ban Johnson says that President Hart's statement of the Taylor bribery case is "bosh" and will not hold water.

Lachance seems doomed, as President Taylor of the Boston Americans intends to play Freeman at first base should Grimshaw fail.

Hackenschmidt, the world's champion wrestler, best known as "the Russian Lion," will arrive in San Francisco on April 15 from Australia.

#### WISE SAWS.

You can't preserve the peace in alcohol. When a man asks you to invest in stocks just add "igate" to the process he suggests and do it mighty thorough.

"What," says the man, "is wit?" "Wit," replies the old philosopher, "is wisdom with a tack in it. Don't step on the tack."—Puck.

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FLORA MILLIGAN.

## OYAMA FOOLED KUROPATKIN

This the Charge of General Gripenberg.

LATTER NEAR VICTORY

Was Refused Re-enforcements — Japanese Blow at Centre Is Feared by Commander.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 18.—The arrival in St. Petersburg of General Gripenberg, former commander of the second Manchurian army, who reached here at midnight, has caused a sensation in military circles. The general frankly avows that he relinquished his command after the recent attempt of the Russians to flank Field Marshal Oyama, because, as he claims, General Kuropatkin refused to send him help when victory was in General Gripenberg's hand instead of ordering the latter to withdraw. Gripenberg will personally report the situation to Emperor Nicholas. It is too early to say what the result will be, although it is evident that Kuropatkin's enemies are pushing their campaign against him. It is only fair to Kuropatkin to say that his friends claim that Kuropatkin's side of the story is that he only intended to make a demonstration in force and that Gripenberg pressed the attack too far and became too much involved.

In an interview Gripenberg said: "I am glad to give an account of the battle of my army, the telegrams I have seen being far from the truth. Kuropatkin, of course, authorized the advance, but he imposed the condition that it should not go beyond Heikoutai and Sandepas. My plan was to capture Heikoutai and thence outflank Sandepas. From the first army corps before Heikoutai I detached a brigade which occupied Heikoutai Jan. 25. The Japanese cut in from the south and the brigade came under a crossfire, but held out until I got up another brigade to cover its retreat. The Japanese were now concentrating on their left. During the evening of Jan. 25 I and my army were ordered under no circumstances to fall back from our positions."

"The next morning my whole front was engaged, the troops being disposed as follows: On the extreme right the first corps. Then the first rifle corps and the fifth division of the second corps which had just arrived from Russia. Altogether I had sixty-two battalions. The enemy had twice as many. The battle of Jan. 26 was continued until evening. We did not surrender an inch of ground. My left flank, which was clearing the road to Sandepas, being weak, I asked the commander-in-chief, who had sixty battalions available, for re-enforcements. He declined to send any, apparently taking the Japanese demonstration at the centre as being a general advance. Nevertheless, I decided to storm Heikoutai the next day. All the surrounding villages were

## A Fine Tonic and Blood Purifier.

A personal letter from Mr. W. M. Gage, 324 Walker street, Birmingham, Ala., gives us a thought. Mr. Gage responded to our advertisement very reluctantly, because he had been imposed upon by irresponsible advertisers of so-called remedies or "cures."

Perhaps there are other readers of our announcements that refrain from responding because of a fear of imposition. To such, we wish to say there are many reputable people in all lines of professions and business, but we think our unimpaired success of thirty-six years in the compounding of drugs and chemicals should be a safe guarantee of our sincerity and honest purpose; but if there is one doubtful reader, we want him or her to go to any druggist with this advertisement and get a bottle of "Seven Barbs" at our expense. The druggist will cheerfully give you a full-size bottle with our compliments. All we ask in return is a promise to take "Seven Barbs" as directed, and then write us your opinion, whether it be good or bad. Your letter will be kept sacredly confidential if you wish. Go today, don't wait for tomorrow. Mr. Gage's letter might interest you. "Mr. Lyman Brown: Dear Sir—I have taken a great many medicines, said to be great blood purifiers, but they did me no good. I was entirely broken down. I couldn't eat a square meal—I felt tired and was out of one cup of coffee and one biscuit was a big breakfast for me. I saw your 'Seven Barbs' advertised, and I wrote for a bottle. Before I had taken all of it I felt very much better. My appetite came back and I consider this medicine a fine Tonic and Blood Purifier. 'Seven Barbs' is superior to any other medicine of its kind, and I will never be without a bottle in the house. Yours truly, (Signed) W. M. Gage."

#### Red Cross Pharmacy.

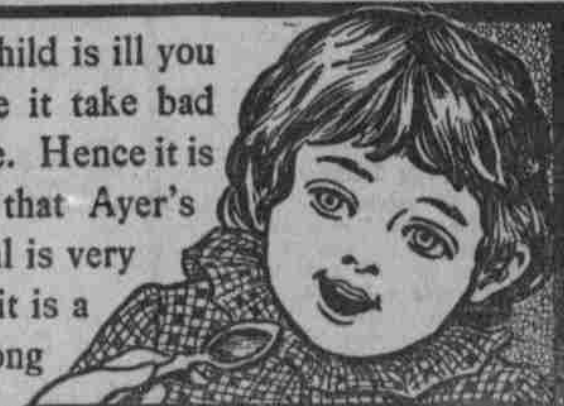
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already in our hands. Early Jan. 27 the forest fighting occurred. We again held our own. The road to Sandepas the Japanese point of concentration, was quite clear of the enemy. I therefore again appealed to the commander-in-chief for re-enforcements. If he had listened to my entreaties we would have driven the iron ring of 100,000 of the enemy.

"The Japanese being menaced by a strong force of Russian cavalry from the south and southwest evidently realized the danger of tackling us. In desperation, Jan. 28, they four times desperately assailed our position and were beaten off each time in such brilliant fashion that it does my heart good to remember the gallantry of my brave comrades. I might easily have followed up these repulses by a headlong offensive, but I was tied down by the commander-in-chief's restrictions and his refusal to send me re-enforcements. How anxiously I awaited a reply on both subjects! Just think of what victory meant! Complete victory in our grasp. The loss of thousands of lives was not dreadful before such a result."

"The reply of General Kuropatkin arrived at five o'clock in the evening in the shape of an order to leave a small force in our positions and move up the army to his support in view of the expected Japanese advance on the centre. How was it possible for the Japanese to attack the centre when all their available forces were diverted west? It is impossible to describe the impression produced upon me by the order. At first I was afraid to communicate it to my victorious army, but there was nothing else to do. We retreated during the night of Jan. 29 with tears in our eyes and bitterness in our hearts. It was then that I decided that my presence at the theatre of war was no longer possible, and the next day I handed in a report to the commander-in-chief, demanding my relief."

When your child is ill you dislike to make it take bad tasting medicine. Hence it is well to know that Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is very pleasant. But it is a medicine, a strong medicine.



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